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PLASMA REACTOR SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 5, 2006, the due date for response to which is extended to September 5, 2006 by the attached Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time and payment of requisite fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows: